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SUBJECT: GUYANA TRADE WITH CUBA - POSSIBLE SUSPENSION OF USAID

REF: A. GEORGETOWN 0931

B. STATE 101105

1. FOLLOWING CONCLUSION BILATERAL AVIATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN GUYANA AND CUBA EMBASSY HAS CONFIRMED THAT GUYANA AIRWAYS, A GOG-OWNED CORPORATION, HAS IN CARIBBEAN SERVICE, WITH STOP AT MIAMI, A DC-6 OF US REGISTRY, LEASED FROM US COMPANY IN FLORIDA. SHOULD AIR SERVICE ACTUALLY BEGIN BETWEEN GUYANA AND CUBA ON BASIS AGREEMENT, THIS AIRCRAFT COULD BE USED TO TRANSPORT CARGO.

2. REQUEST DEPARTMENT ADVISE CONSEQUENCES FOR USAID PROGRAM SHOULD GUYANA SHIP GOODS CUBA USINGUSAID AIRCRAFT. WE ASSUME THAT SECTION 620(A)(3) OF FOREIGN ASSISTANCE ACT DOES NOT APPLY THIS CASE AS AIRCRAFT IS NOT OF GUYANESE REGISTRY. WOULD US OWNER BE LIABLE, HOWEVER, IF COMPANY PERMITS USE OF AIRCRAFT IN CUBA TRADE, WOULD OWNER BE FORCED TO BREAK LEASE AND RECOVER AIRCRAFT? WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION YOU HAVE ON FAA

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REGULATIONS UNDER WHICH AIRCRAFT OPERATES.

3. CHARGE THIS WEEK REITERATED BOTH PRIME MINISTER AND TO
PERM SEC, FONMIN, POSSIBLE LOSS OF ENTIRE USAID PROGRAM IF
AIRCRAFT OR SHIP REGISTERED IN GUYANA USED IN TRADE WITH CUBA.
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